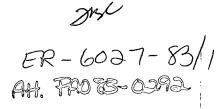


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9 January 1984

Mr. Fareed R. Zakaria The Yale Political Union 2084 Yale Station New Haven, Conn. 06520

Dear Mr. Zakaria:

Thank you for your invitation to Director William J. Casey to speak at the Yale Political Union.

Mr. Casey has asked me to extend his regrets. Due to a full schedule of official commitments and travel plans, he is unable to accept the kind invitation to meet with your group. As a Yale alum ('45W), I am doubly sorry not to be able to accommodate you.

Thank you for your interest. We wish the Union success in its 1984 program.

Sincerely,	
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George V. Lauder Director, Public Affairs	
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22 December 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM:

George V. Lauder

Director, Public Affairs Office

SUBJECT:

Invitation to Give a Keynote Speech

to the Yale Political Union

- 1. Action Requested: Accept or decline an invitation to give a keynote speech to the Yale Political Union in New Haven, Connecticut, at a time convenient for you between January and April.
- 2. <u>Background</u>: Fareed Zakaria, Chairman of the Yale Political Union, has invited you to deliver a keynote speech at a "debate on the proper role of the CIA" at the Union's 50th Anniversary.

The Union is the largest student organization at Yale. Since its founding in 1934 by Dean Acheson and Harvey Bundy among others, it has evolved into a national forum for bipartisan discussion. Past speakers at the Union include President Ronald Reagan, former President Jimmy Carter, Archbishop Makarios, Abba Eban, Jerry Falwell and most recently, Gary Hart. The Union strives to provide the leaders of tomorrow (the average age is 22) with a chance to exchange ideas and learn from the leaders of today. Its Board of Advisors includes former President Gerald Ford, Edwin Meese III, William F. Buckley, Jr., and MacGeorge Bundy.

In March 1982, Admiral Inman briefed members of the Union in the DCI Conference Room.

3. Recommendation: I recommend you decline this invitation.

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George V. Lauder

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	to the Yale Political Union

ACCEPT INVITATION TO ADDRESS THE UNION IN NEW HAVEN:

Director of Central Intelligence

Date

DECLINE INVITATION, BUT INVITE THE UNION TO HEADQUARTERS FOR A BRIEFING:

Director of Central Intelligence

Date

Decline invitation:

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FAREED R. ZAKARIA, Chairman

2084 YALE STATION NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT 06520

November 21, 1983

Mr. William Casey, Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, DC

Mr. Casey:

The Yale Political Union will celebrate its 50th Anniversary in 1984. We are planning several events to mark this historic occasion, and we would be honored if you would participate in one of them.

It is my privilege to invite you to deliver a keynote speech at a debate on the proper role of the CIA. If you agree, we can discuss the topic and other procedural matters. If any aspect of this format is unacceptable to you, we would be more than happy to accommodate your views. We would like to schedule this event any time between the third week of January and the last week of April, 1984.

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As is our custom, we will be glad to reimburse your travel expenses. Should you wish to spend the night here in New Haven, we would be delighted to be your hosts. I look forward to hearing from you and hope we will have the honor and pleasure of welcoming you to Yale next year.

Very truly yours,

Fareed R. Zakaria Chairman

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